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The Ocean Shipping Container Availability Report (OSCAR) provides a weekly snapshot of the availability of marine shipping containers at 18 different intermodal locations for the westbound transpacific trade lanes. The data shows the availability for five types of equipment, including 20 and 40ft dry, 20 and 40ft refrigerated, and 40ft high-cube containers, and provides estimates of equipment availability for the current week and projections two weeks out. The data are voluntarily provided to AMS by five members of the Transpacific Stabilization Agreement (TSA).

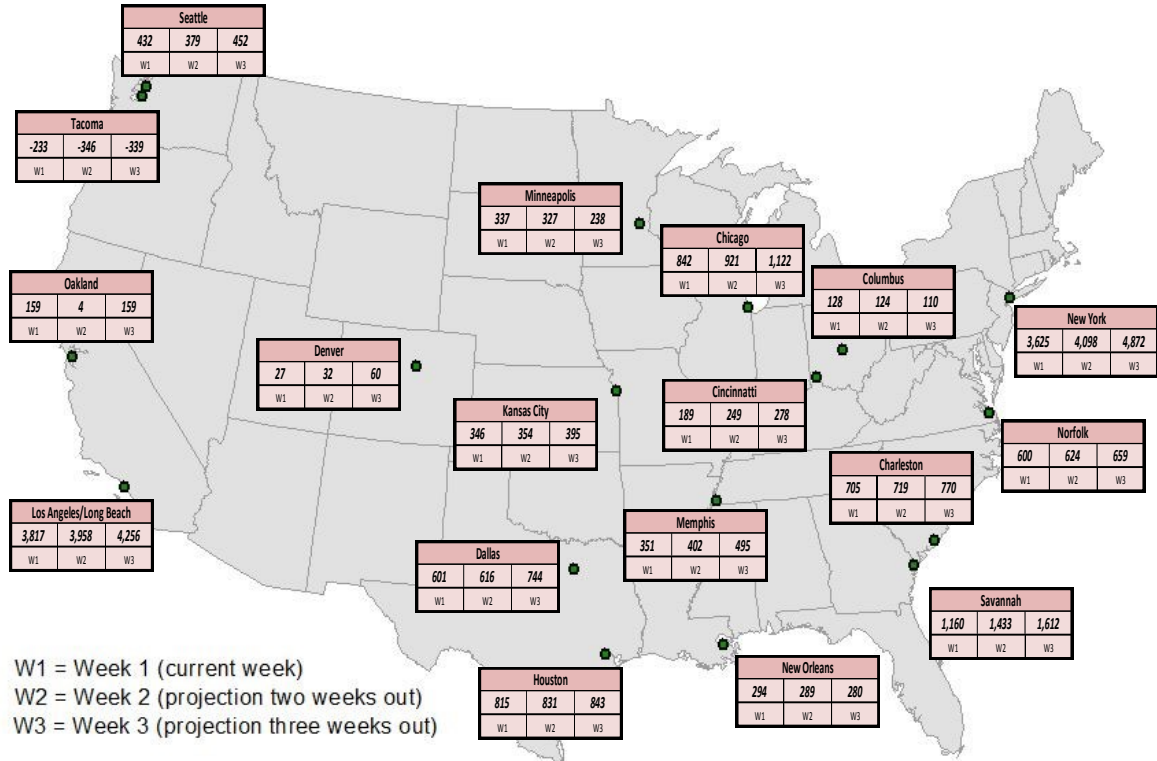
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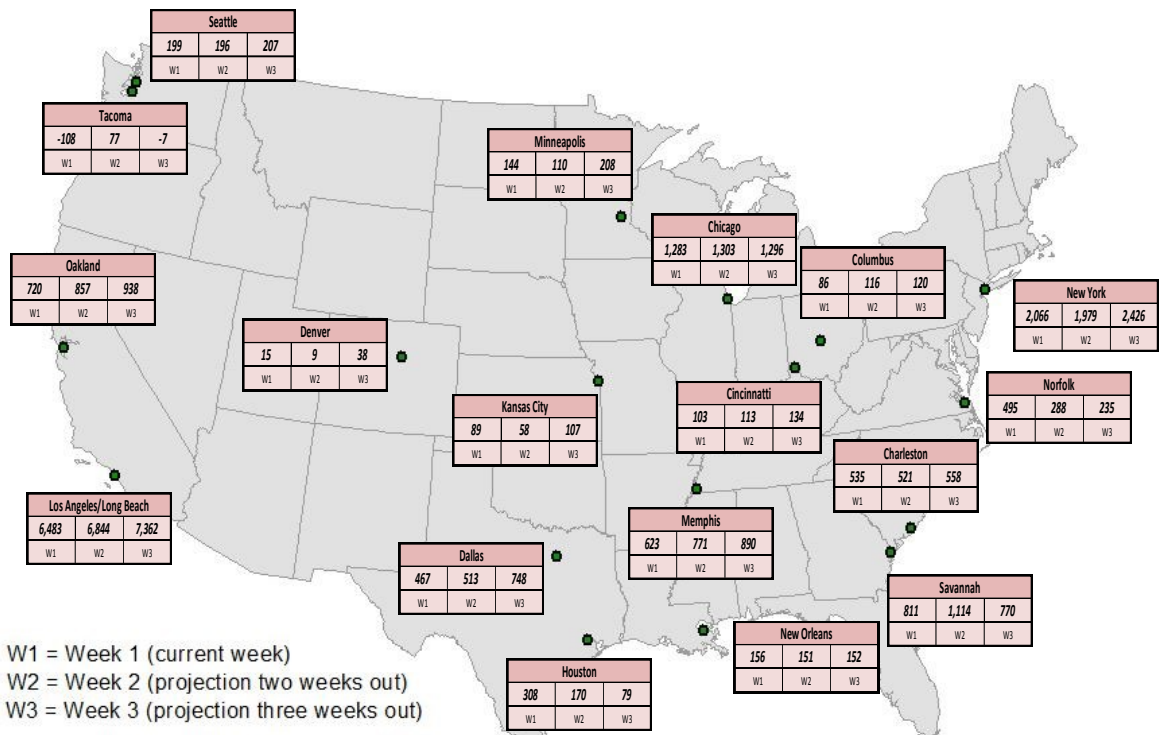
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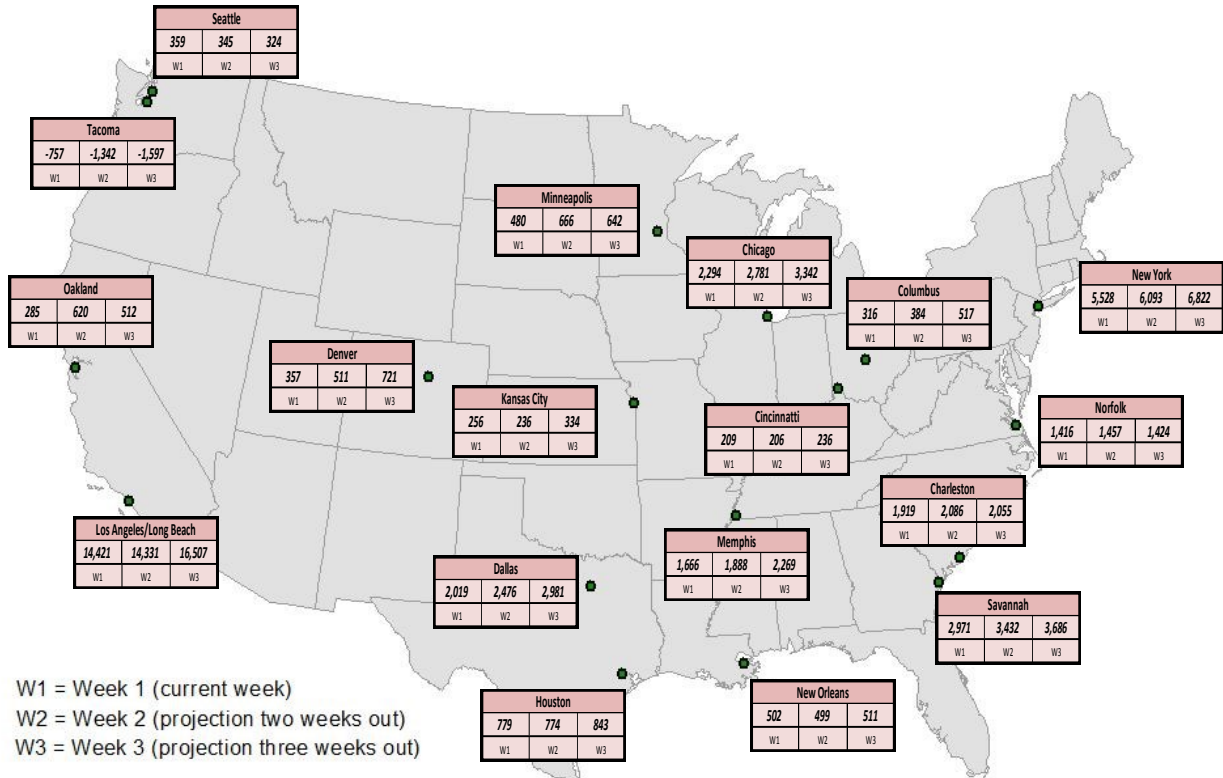


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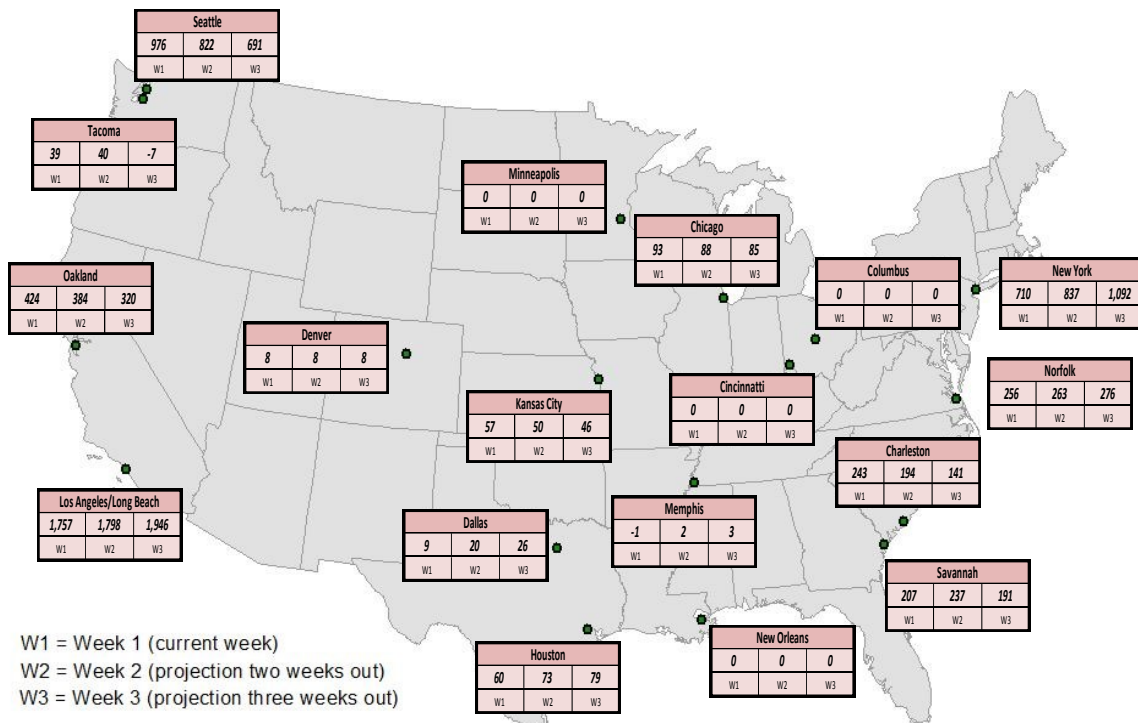
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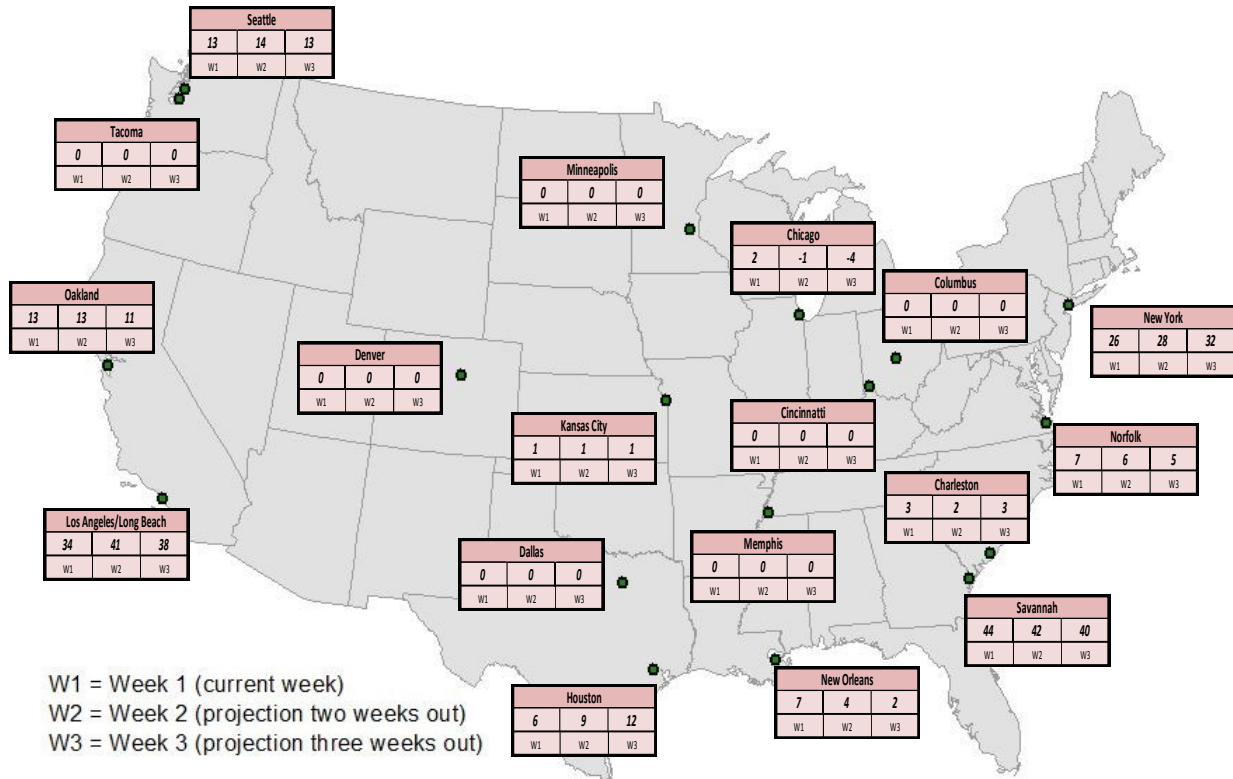


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### Weekly Availability for 20ft Refrigerated Containers





| Charleston              |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|-----|------|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Responses          |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 225                                     | 223 | 172 | 85   | . | 705   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 225                                     | 240 | 183 | 71   | . | 719   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 225                                     | 266 | 236 | 43   | . | 770   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Responses          |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 400                                     | 290 | 111 | 68   | . | 869   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 400                                     | 230 | 117 | -26  | . | 721   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 400                                     | 175 | 127 | -115 | . | 587   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 902                                     | 670 | 326 | 21   | . | 1,919 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 902                                     | 746 | 366 | 72   | . | 2,086 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 902                                     | 820 | 427 | -94  | . | 2,055 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 173                                     | 64  | 4   | 2    | . | 243   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 141                                     | 48  | 4   | 1    | . | 194   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 109                                     | 48  | 4   | -20  | . | 141   |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 2                                       | 1   | .   | .    | . | 3     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 2                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 2     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 2                                       | 1   | .   | .    | . | 3     |

Note: "." denotes no response from carriers.



| Chicago                 |   |     |     |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|-----|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 282                                     | 275 | 251 | 34  | . | 842   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 349                                     | 223 | 251 | 98  | . | 921   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 467                                     | 306 | 251 | 98  | . | 1,122 |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 746                                     | 392 | 208 | -63 | . | 1,283 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 746                                     | 378 | 146 | 33  | . | 1,303 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 746                                     | 504 | 17  | 29  | . | 1,296 |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 1,038                                   | 978 | 272 | 6   | . | 2,294 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 1,422                                   | 978 | 157 | 224 | . | 2,781 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1,914                                   | 978 | 216 | 234 | . | 3,342 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 91                                      | 2   | .   | .   | . | 93    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 82                                      | 6   | .   | .   | . | 88    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 79                                      | 6   | .   | .   | . | 85    |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 2                                       | .   | .   | .   | . | 2     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | -1                                      | .   | .   | .   | . | -1    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | -4                                      | .   | .   | .   | . | -4    |

Note: "." denotes no response from carriers.



| Cincinnati              |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|----|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 115                                     | 67  | 28 | -21 | . | 189   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 137                                     | 83  | 28 | 1   | . | 249   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 159                                     | 92  | 28 | -1  | . | 278   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 50                                      | 48  | 6  | -1  | . | 103   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 62                                      | 48  | 3  | 0   | . | 113   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 87                                      | 48  | -2 | 1   | . | 134   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 130                                     | 83  | 7  | -11 | . | 209   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 130                                     | 111 | 2  | -37 | . | 206   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 130                                     | 152 | -5 | -41 | . | 236   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 0                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 0                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 0                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | .                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | .                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | .                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 0     |

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| Columbus                |   |    |    |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|----|----|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |    |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 54                                      | 40 | 35 | -1  | . | 128   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 51                                      | 40 | 39 | -6  | . | 124   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 53                                      | 40 | 33 | -16 | . | 110   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |    |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 48                                      | 44 | 14 | -20 | . | 86    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 56                                      | 44 | 16 | 0   | . | 116   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 99                                      | 44 | 16 | -39 | . | 120   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |    |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 265                                     | 80 | 5  | -34 | . | 316   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 333                                     | 80 | 9  | -38 | . | 384   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 458                                     | 80 | 10 | -31 | . | 517   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |    |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 0                                       | .  | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 0                                       | .  | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 0                                       | .  | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |    |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | .                                       | .  | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | .                                       | .  | .  | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | .                                       | .  | .  | .   | . | 0     |

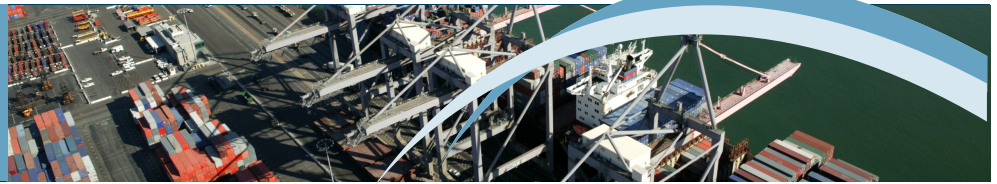
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| Dallas                  |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-------|-----|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 190                                     | 171   | 135 | 105 | . | 601   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 164                                     | 171   | 186 | 95  | . | 616   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 173                                     | 171   | 243 | 157 | . | 744   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 242                                     | 142   | 128 | -45 | . | 467   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 242                                     | 249   | 121 | -99 | . | 513   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 242                                     | 424   | 111 | -29 | . | 748   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 800                                     | 575   | 377 | 267 | . | 2,019 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 800                                     | 884   | 384 | 408 | . | 2,476 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 800                                     | 1,188 | 404 | 589 | . | 2,981 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 9                                       | 0     | .   | .   | . | 9     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 20                                      | 0     | .   | .   | . | 20    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 26                                      | 0     | .   | .   | . | 26    |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | .                                       | .     | .   | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | .                                       | .     | .   | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | .                                       | .     | .   | .   | . | 0     |

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| Denver                  |   |    |    |    |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|----|----|----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |    |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 22                                      | 7  | 0  | -2 | . | 27    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 22                                      | 10 | -4 | 4  | . | 32    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 22                                      | 28 | 13 | -3 | . | 60    |
| 40ft Dry                |   |    |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 14                                      | 5  | -4 | .  | . | 15    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 14                                      | -7 | 1  | 1  | . | 9     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 14                                      | 14 | 4  | 6  | . | 38    |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |    |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 322                                     | 26 | 6  | 3  | . | 357   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 475                                     | 29 | 6  | 1  | . | 511   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 661                                     | 34 | 6  | 20 | . | 721   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |    |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 8                                       | 0  | .  | .  | . | 8     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 8                                       | 0  | .  | .  | . | 8     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 8                                       | 0  | .  | .  | . | 8     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |    |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |    |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | .                                       | .  | .  | .  | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | .                                       | .  | .  | .  | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | .                                       | .  | .  | .  | . | 0     |

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| Houston                 |   |     |      |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|------|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |      |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 588                                     | 206 | 40   | -19 | . | 815   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 588                                     | 213 | 42   | -12 | . | 831   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 588                                     | 232 | 38   | -15 | . | 843   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |      |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 284                                     | 53  | 15   | -44 | . | 308   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 284                                     | 61  | -118 | -57 | . | 170   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 284                                     | 73  | -217 | -61 | . | 79    |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |      |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 490                                     | 231 | 45   | 13  | . | 779   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 490                                     | 242 | 70   | -28 | . | 774   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 490                                     | 243 | 93   | 17  | . | 843   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |      |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 58                                      | 2   | 0    | .   | . | 60    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 71                                      | 2   | 0    | .   | . | 73    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 77                                      | 2   | 0    | .   | . | 79    |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |      |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 6                                       | 0   | .    | .   | . | 6     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 9                                       | 0   | .    | .   | . | 9     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 12                                      | 0   | .    | .   | . | 12    |

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| Kansas City             |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|----|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 172                                     | 130 | 45 | -1  | . | 346   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 187                                     | 130 | 38 | -1  | . | 354   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 227                                     | 130 | 40 | -2  | . | 395   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 46                                      | 42  | 2  | -1  | . | 89    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 11                                      | 42  | 5  | 0   | . | 58    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 57                                      | 42  | 8  | 0   | . | 107   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 196                                     | 78  | 0  | -18 | . | 256   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 196                                     | 82  | 2  | -44 | . | 236   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 196                                     | 198 | 1  | -61 | . | 334   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 57                                      | 0   | .  | .   | . | 57    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 50                                      | 0   | .  | .   | . | 50    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 46                                      | 0   | .  | .   | . | 46    |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |    |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 1                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 1     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 1                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 1     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1                                       | .   | .  | .   | . | 1     |

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| Los Angeles and Long Beach |   |       |       |      |   |        |
|----------------------------|---|-------|-------|------|---|--------|
| 20ft Dry                   |   |       |       |      |   |        |
|                            | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |      |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17    | 1,528                                   | 1,103 | 931   | 255  | . | 3,817  |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24          | 1,528                                   | 1,037 | 1,104 | 289  | . | 3,958  |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31          | 1,528                                   | 1,466 | 919   | 343  | . | 4,256  |
| 40ft Dry                   |   |       |       |      |   |        |
|                            | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |      |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17    | 3,388                                   | 2,245 | 515   | 335  | . | 6,483  |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24          | 3,388                                   | 2,399 | 749   | 308  | . | 6,844  |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31          | 3,388                                   | 3,024 | 723   | 227  | . | 7,362  |
| 40ft High Cube             |   |       |       |      |   |        |
|                            | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |      |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17    | 11,102                                  | 1,870 | 1,671 | -222 | . | 14,421 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24          | 11,102                                  | 1,484 | 1,875 | -130 | . | 14,331 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31          | 11,102                                  | 3,613 | 1,795 | -3   | . | 16,507 |
| 40ft Refrigerated          |   |       |       |      |   |        |
|                            | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |      |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17    | 806                                     | 631   | 245   | 75   | . | 1,757  |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24          | 871                                     | 568   | 284   | 75   | . | 1,798  |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31          | 907                                     | 725   | 239   | 75   | . | 1,946  |
| 20ft Refrigerated          |   |       |       |      |   |        |
|                            | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |      |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17    | 24                                      | 10    | .     | .    | . | 34     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24          | 31                                      | 10    | .     | .    | . | 41     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31          | 28                                      | 10    | .     | .    | . | 38     |

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| Memphis                 |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-------|-----|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 168                                     | 117   | 88  | -22 | . | 351   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 212                                     | 117   | 83  | -10 | . | 402   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 297                                     | 117   | 95  | -14 | . | 495   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 536                                     | 120   | 41  | -74 | . | 623   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 680                                     | 120   | 17  | -46 | . | 771   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 832                                     | 120   | -46 | -16 | . | 890   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 1,122                                   | 493   | 32  | 19  | . | 1,666 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 1,122                                   | 751   | 37  | -22 | . | 1,888 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1,122                                   | 1,057 | 45  | 45  | . | 2,269 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 0                                       | -1    | .   | .   | . | -1    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 0                                       | 2     | .   | .   | . | 2     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 0                                       | 3     | .   | .   | . | 3     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |       |     |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |     |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | .                                       | .     | .   | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | .                                       | .     | .   | .   | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | .                                       | .     | .   | .   | . | 0     |

Note: "." denotes no response from carriers.



| Minneapolis             |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|-----|------|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 203                                     | 99  | 50  | -15  | . | 337   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 203                                     | 110 | 52  | -38  | . | 327   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 203                                     | 17  | 61  | -43  | . | 238   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 93                                      | 58  | 50  | -57  | . | 144   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 131                                     | 70  | 50  | -141 | . | 110   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 165                                     | 61  | 50  | -68  | . | 208   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 240                                     | 170 | 99  | -29  | . | 480   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 240                                     | 215 | 154 | 57   | . | 666   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 240                                     | 250 | 181 | -29  | . | 642   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 0                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 0                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 0                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 0     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | .                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | .                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | .                                       | .   | .   | .    | . | 0     |

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| New Orleans             |   |     |    |    |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|----|----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 162                                     | 129 | 3  | 0  | . | 294   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 160                                     | 129 | 0  | 0  | . | 289   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 151                                     | 129 | -2 | 2  | . | 280   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 100                                     | 49  | 7  | 0  | . | 156   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 100                                     | 48  | 3  | 0  | . | 151   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 100                                     | 59  | -6 | -1 | . | 152   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 378                                     | 118 | 5  | 1  | . | 502   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 378                                     | 111 | 10 | 0  | . | 499   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 378                                     | 114 | 16 | 3  | . | 511   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 0                                       | .   | .  | .  | . | 0     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 0                                       | .   | .  | .  | . | 0     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 0                                       | .   | .  | .  | . | 0     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |    |    |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |    |    |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 7                                       | .   | .  | .  | . | 7     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 4                                       | .   | .  | .  | . | 4     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 2                                       | .   | .  | .  | . | 2     |

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| New York                |   |       |       |     |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-------|-------|-----|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |       |       |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 1,446                                   | 1,208 | 517   | 454 | . | 3,625 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 1,446                                   | 1,441 | 651   | 560 | . | 4,098 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1,446                                   | 1,706 | 810   | 910 | . | 4,872 |
| 40ft Dry                |   |       |       |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 967                                     | 644   | 466   | -11 | . | 2,066 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 993                                     | 549   | 466   | -29 | . | 1,979 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1,111                                   | 732   | 466   | 117 | . | 2,426 |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |       |       |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 2,406                                   | 1,873 | 1,277 | -28 | . | 5,528 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 2,406                                   | 2,396 | 1,150 | 141 | . | 6,093 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 2,406                                   | 3,059 | 1,156 | 201 | . | 6,822 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |       |       |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 354                                     | 251   | 95    | 10  | . | 710   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 443                                     | 352   | 32    | 10  | . | 837   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 544                                     | 463   | 75    | 10  | . | 1,092 |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |       |       |     |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |       |       |     |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 21                                      | 5     | .     | .   | . | 26    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 23                                      | 5     | .     | .   | . | 28    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 27                                      | 5     | .     | .   | . | 32    |

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| Norfolk                 |   |     |      |      |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|------|------|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |      |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 212                                     | 196 | 155  | 37   | . | 600   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 212                                     | 222 | 164  | 26   | . | 624   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 212                                     | 242 | 170  | 35   | . | 659   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |      |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 344                                     | 170 | 25   | -44  | . | 495   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 311                                     | 170 | -190 | -3   | . | 288   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 313                                     | 170 | -195 | -53  | . | 235   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |      |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 988                                     | 488 | 45   | -105 | . | 1,416 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 988                                     | 487 | 27   | -45  | . | 1,457 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 988                                     | 519 | -49  | -34  | . | 1,424 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |      |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 128                                     | 121 | 10   | -3   | . | 256   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 138                                     | 121 | 10   | -6   | . | 263   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 140                                     | 126 | 10   | 0    | . | 276   |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |      |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 5                                       | 2   | .    | .    | . | 7     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 5                                       | 1   | .    | .    | . | 6     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 5                                       | .   | .    | .    | . | 5     |

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| Oakland                 |   |     |      |        |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|------|--------|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |      |        |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |        |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 171                                     | 109 | 15   | -136   | . | 159   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 171                                     | 49  | 26   | -242   | . | 4     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 171                                     | 109 | 37   | -158   | . | 159   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |      |        |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |        |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 632                                     | 159 | 26   | -97    | . | 720   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 632                                     | 185 | 23   | 17     | . | 857   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 632                                     | 196 | 86   | 24     | . | 938   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |      |        |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |        |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 1,132                                   | 362 | 33   | -1,242 | . | 285   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 1,132                                   | 326 | -182 | -656   | . | 620   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1,132                                   | 456 | -314 | -762   | . | 512   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |      |        |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |        |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 358                                     | 60  | 30   | -24    | . | 424   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 322                                     | 47  | 30   | -15    | . | 384   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 290                                     | 20  | 30   | -20    | . | 320   |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |      |        |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |      |        |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 10                                      | 3   | .    | .      | . | 13    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 10                                      | 3   | .    | .      | . | 13    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 10                                      | 1   | .    | .      | . | 11    |

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| Savannah                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|-----|------|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 576                                     | 284 | 169 | 131  | . | 1,160 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 576                                     | 387 | 273 | 197  | . | 1,433 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 576                                     | 444 | 323 | 269  | . | 1,612 |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 640                                     | 267 | 135 | -231 | . | 811   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 640                                     | 319 | 214 | -59  | . | 1,114 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 640                                     | 347 | 53  | -270 | . | 770   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 1,730                                   | 749 | 439 | 53   | . | 2,971 |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 1,730                                   | 959 | 652 | 91   | . | 3,432 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 1,730                                   | 882 | 750 | 324  | . | 3,686 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 101                                     | 80  | 16  | 10   | . | 207   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 107                                     | 103 | 17  | 10   | . | 237   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 94                                      | 93  | -6  | 10   | . | 191   |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |      |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |      |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 43                                      | 1   | .   | .    | . | 44    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 41                                      | 1   | .   | .    | . | 42    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 39                                      | 1   | .   | .    | . | 40    |

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| Seattle                 |   |     |     |   |   |       |
|-------------------------|---|-----|-----|---|---|-------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |     |   |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |   |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 199                                     | 193 | 40  | . | . | 432   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 210                                     | 193 | -24 | . | . | 379   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 286                                     | 193 | -27 | . | . | 452   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |     |   |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |   |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 117                                     | 82  | 0   | . | . | 199   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 117                                     | 82  | -3  | . | . | 196   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 117                                     | 96  | -6  | . | . | 207   |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |     |   |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |   |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 234                                     | 84  | 41  | . | . | 359   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 234                                     | 71  | 40  | . | . | 345   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 234                                     | 48  | 42  | . | . | 324   |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |   |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |   |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 831                                     | 119 | 26  | . | . | 976   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 679                                     | 119 | 24  | . | . | 822   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 548                                     | 119 | 24  | . | . | 691   |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |     |   |   |       |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |     |   |   | Total |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 13                                      | 0   | .   | . | . | 13    |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 14                                      | 0   | .   | . | . | 14    |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 13                                      | 0   | .   | . | . | 13    |

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| Tacoma                  |   |     |        |   |   |        |
|-------------------------|---|-----|--------|---|---|--------|
| 20ft Dry                |   |     |        |   |   |        |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |        |   |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 96                                      | 58  | -387   | . | . | -233   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 121                                     | 58  | -525   | . | . | -346   |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 33                                      | 58  | -430   | . | . | -339   |
| 40ft Dry                |   |     |        |   |   |        |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |        |   |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 158                                     | 39  | -305   | . | . | -108   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 271                                     | 39  | -233   | . | . | 77     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 277                                     | 39  | -323   | . | . | -7     |
| 40ft High Cube          |   |     |        |   |   |        |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |        |   |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 150                                     | 101 | -1,008 | . | . | -757   |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | -253                                    | 101 | -1,190 | . | . | -1,342 |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | -617                                    | 101 | -1,081 | . | . | -1,597 |
| 40ft Refrigerated       |   |     |        |   |   |        |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |        |   |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 296                                     | 5   | -262   | . | . | 39     |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 253                                     | 5   | -218   | . | . | 40     |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 246                                     | 5   | -258   | . | . | -7     |
| 20ft Refrigerated       |   |     |        |   |   |        |
|                         | Carrier Availability Category Responses |     |        |   |   | Total  |
| Current Week: Jan 11-17 | 0                                       | .   | .      | . | . | 0      |
| Week 2: Jan 18-24       | 0                                       | .   | .      | . | . | 0      |
| Week 3: Jan 25-31       | 0                                       | .   | .      | . | . | 0      |

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## Understanding this Report

The weekly Ocean Shipping Container Availability Report (OCSAR) provides a snapshot of container availability for westbound transpacific trade lanes at select intermodal locations around the country. The data presented in this report are gathered from 4 member carriers in the Transpacific Stabilization Agreement (TSA). The TSA carriers include COSCO, Evergreen, Yang Ming Transport Corporation, and OOCL.

- The data are estimates of container availability per week by the participating carriers. The carriers determine container availability by comparing current supplies at each of the 18 intermodal locations with the demand for these containers based on up-to-date bookings or reservation information in the westbound transpacific trade lane.
- Each week, participating carriers report the estimated number of containers available for the current week (W1) as well as estimates for the subsequent 2 weeks (W2 and W3).
- Maps on pages 2–4 offer a national overview of weekly container availability. The weekly national data are derived from the sum of the individual carrier responses at each intermodal location.
- Individual carrier responses are presented by location on pages 6–23 and have been sorted from largest to smallest. To maintain carrier confidentiality, specific carrier identification is not provided.
- Carrier responses showing negative numbers, such as -29, should be interpreted as meaning that 29 containers are needed by shippers but the carrier is not able to supply them. A positive number, such as 64, would mean 64 containers are available that are not demanded. An indication of 0 means the carriers have the exact amount of containers needed based on current supply and demand estimates.
- Availability levels are subject to change, and may be affected by delays in return of equipment to carriers by shippers or consignees, and by free time restrictions imposed by railroads. Due to the dynamic nature of the container industry, carriers cannot be held responsible for the level of availability at the time of inquiry.
- Data presented in the report do not imply availability of chassis.
- Container availability estimates represent availability for all export cargo, not just agricultural products.
- USDA collects these data on a voluntary basis and cannot be held responsible for the status of container availability when a reader makes inquiry with an ocean carrier. USDA relies on the participating ocean carriers to ensure the data is accurate.
- Terminology:
  - 20ft Dry Container (20ft): A standard shipping container that is 20 feet long.
  - 40ft Dry Container (40ft): A standard shipping container that is 40 feet long.
  - 40ft High-Cube (HC): A shipping container which is 40 feet long and 9 feet, 6 inches tall (1 foot taller than a standard 40ft dry container).
  - 40ft reefer: A refrigerated shipping container which is 40 feet long.
  - 20ft reefer: A refrigerated shipping container which is 20 feet long.
  - Chassis: A wheeled frame to which a shipping container can be locked for storage or movement. (Plural chassis)



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